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Identical letters dated 29 September 2006 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Lebanon to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

On the instructions of my Government, I transmit to you herewith a list of Israeli acts of aggression against Lebanon that took place between 27 and 28 September 2006 (see annex).

I should be grateful if you would have this letter and its annex circulated as a document of the General Assembly, under agenda item 13, and of the Security Council.

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Israeli violations and acts of aggression against Lebanon from 0800 hours on 27 September 2006 to 0800 hours on 28 September 2006

From 0800 hours on 27 September 2006 to 0800 hours on 28 September 2006, despite the United Nations Security Council resolution calling for a cessation of hostilities as of 0800 hours on 14 August 2006, acts of aggression and air, land and sea violations by the Israeli enemy continued.

Air violations

There was one air violation by enemy Israeli warplanes reported:

Four Israeli warplanes violated Lebanese airspace over the Shab'a farmlands in a northerly direction and circled over areas of the western Bekaa. Then they headed west as far as Al-Damour and circled over regions of the South. After that they headed towards Chekka and Tripoli. They then headed towards the northern Bekaa and circled over all Lebanese regions. They left Lebanese airspace at 1400 hours over Aalma al-Chaab.

Land violations

At 0800 hours, enemy Israeli forces engaged in installation of a four-metre-high technical border fence along the eastern and northern borders of the Lebanese part of Ghajar.

Between 0815 hours and 1620 hours on the outskirts of the town of Aaita al-Chaab in the Khallet Ouarde area (about 10 metres from the Blue Line), a Poclain excavator and a bulldozer belonging to the enemy Israeli forces bulldozed earth and moved it into occupied Palestinian territory through the gate at the aforementioned area.

Sea violations

On 28 September 2006 at 0615 hours, an enemy Israeli military launch fired several bursts of medium-machine-gun fire from the open sea in Palestinian regional waters off Ras al-Naqoura in the direction of a fishing vessel.

Injuries resulting from mines, cluster bombs and unexploded ordnance

At 1145 hours in Qaaqaiet al-Jisr, while Nazha Sallama was picking citrus fruit, a cluster bomb left behind by the Israeli aggression exploded, resulting in minor injury to his hand.

At 1210 hours in Souane in the Sahl Al-Jarran area, a number of cluster bombs left behind by the Israeli aggression exploded, resulting in the death of a youth, Muhammad Sultan (14 years old), and multiple injuries to Hussam Hamud, Abbas Sultan, and his brother Husayn.

At 1430 hours in Hanaouay in the Al-Nassar area, a cluster bomb left behind in a landfill by the Israeli aggression exploded, resulting in multiple injuries to Munsif Mustafa.

At 1630 hours on the outskirts of the town of Tair Debba, while Hasan Zayyat was herding livestock, a cluster bomb left behind by the Israeli aggression exploded, resulting in multiple injuries to him.